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1. The Flax Processing Plant (Topitoria Carta) is located between the villages of Colun and Carta and on the northern side of the Oltul River, which flows east and west.
2. Construction of the plant was started in 1952 and was completed in 1958. The plant consists of one building which is fairly large. Plans have been formulated to construct additional buildings.
3. The plant processes flax and hemp which is shipped in from the fields and other areas. After it is chemically processed the product is shipped in bales to other plants in Rumania and/or is exported to other countries. 25X1
4. both men and women are working in this plant. 25X1
5. Electricity for the plant is supplied by Medias, which is located approximately 40 to 50 milometers north of Colun and Carta. Water for the plant is drawn from the Oltul River.

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